

## Trinity Lutheran Church and Preschool

Howards Grove, Wisconsin



TO MAKE THE SAINTS - "WISE UNTO SALVATION" AND TO "EQUIP FOR SERVING"

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Welcome to Trinity!

Worship:

Sundays at 8:00am and 10:30am

Sunday School/Bible Class:

Sundays at 9:15am

November 5, 2023

23rd Sunday after Pentecost All Saints' Day (observed) Divine Service, Setting 3 with Communion

## + CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION +

## 686 COME, THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING



Text: Robert Robinson, 1735-90, alt.

Tune: Repository of Sacred Music, Part Second, 1813, Harrisburg

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## (Stand)

# (The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.)

- P In the name of the Father and of the 

  → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **C** who made heaven and earth.
- I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin. (Kneel/Sit)

(Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.)

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for

them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ♣ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen. (Stand)
  - . SERVICE OF THE WORD +

INTROIT

Psalm 31:1, 3, 5; antiphon: Revelation 7:14b

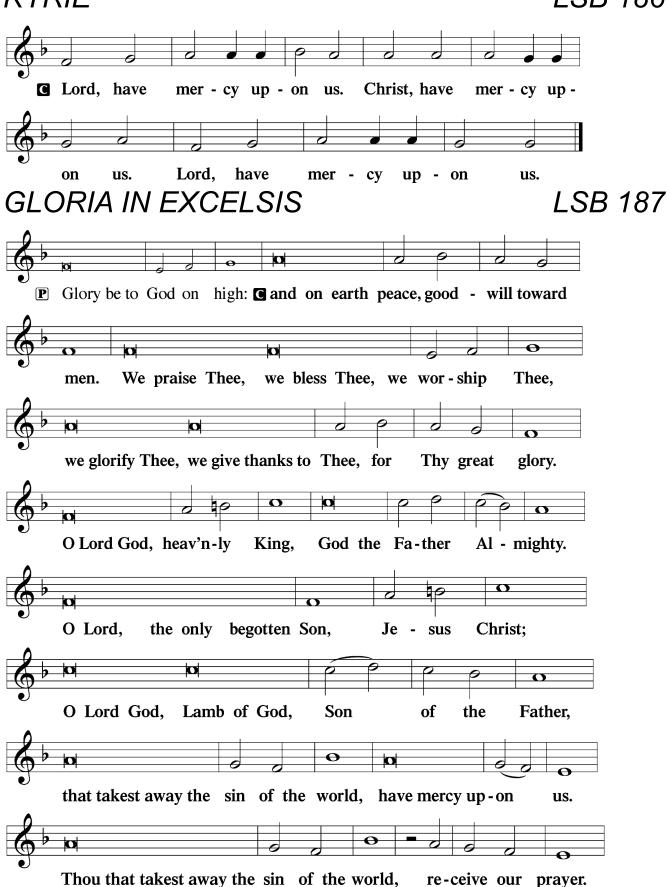
- These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation.
- They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

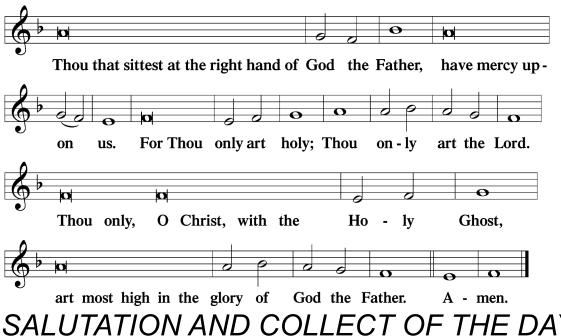
- In you, O LORD, do I take refuge; let me never be put to shame;
- in your righteousness deliver me.
- **P** For you are my rock and my fortress;
- and for your name's sake you lead me and guide me.
- P Into your hand I commit my spirit;
- you have redeemed me, O LORD, faithful God.
- ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever.

  Amen.
- These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation.
- They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.



KYRIE LSB 186





## SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.



Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God,  $|\mathbf{P}|$ You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



<sup>2</sup>Then I saw another angel ascending from the rising of the sun, with the seal of the living God, and he called with a loud voice to the four angels who had been given power to harm earth and sea, <sup>3</sup>saying, "Do not harm the earth or the sea or the trees, until we have sealed the servants of our God on their foreheads." <sup>4</sup>And I heard the number of the sealed, 144,000, sealed from every tribe of the sons of Israel:

<sup>9</sup>After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, <sup>10</sup>and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" 11 And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, <sup>12</sup>saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

<sup>13</sup>Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" 14 said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. 15"Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence. <sup>16</sup>They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat. <sup>17</sup>For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE 1 John 3:1–3

<sup>1</sup>See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. <sup>2</sup>Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has

not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. <sup>3</sup>And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

## (Stand)

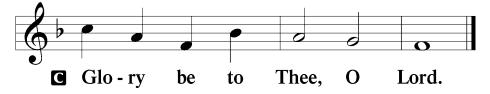
ALLELUIA

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Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

#### HOLY GOSPEL Matthew 5:1-12

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.



<sup>1</sup>Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him. <sup>2</sup>And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

<sup>3</sup>"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>4</sup>"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

<sup>5</sup>"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

<sup>6</sup>"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

<sup>7</sup>"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

<sup>8</sup>"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

<sup>9</sup>"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

<sup>10</sup>"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>11</sup>"Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. <sup>12</sup>Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



#### NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life +of the world to come. Amen. (Sit)

#### 620 JESUS COMES TODAY WITH HEALING



5 Let me praise God's boundless favor, Whose own feast of love I savor, Bidden by His gracious call. Wedding garments He provides me, With a robe of white He hides me, Fits me for the royal hall.

(Verse 6 is on the following page)

6 Now have I found consolation, Comfort in my tribulation, Balm to heal the troubled soul. God, my shield from ev'ry terror, Cleanses me from sin and error, Makes my wounded spirit whole.

Text: Heinrich Puchta, 1808-58; tr. David W. Rogner, 1960

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#### SERMON

## (Stand)

#### **OFFERTORY LSB 192**



OFFERING—Please rise as the offerings are brought forward to the altar.

#### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

We respond with Amen. Prayer requests: the family of **Trent** Lieffring, the family of **Eugene** Bubolz, **Michael** Winter, **Connie** Hansen, **Todd** Bender, **Randy** Ries, **Marie** Rietbrock, **Lori** (Kober) Badtke, the family of **Lonnie** Bigler, **Jerry** Barts, and **our shut-ins**.

#### + REMEMBERING THE SAINTS OF TRINITY +

<u>Judy Gottsacker</u> "I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well." Psalm 139:14

**Willard Kuhlow** "Be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might." Ephesians 6:10

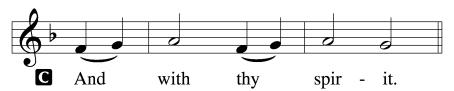
Gloria Hopf "The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want." Psalm 23:1

**Eugene Bubolz** "More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation." Romans 5:11

## + SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

PREFACE LSB 194

P The Lord be with you.



P Lift up your hearts.

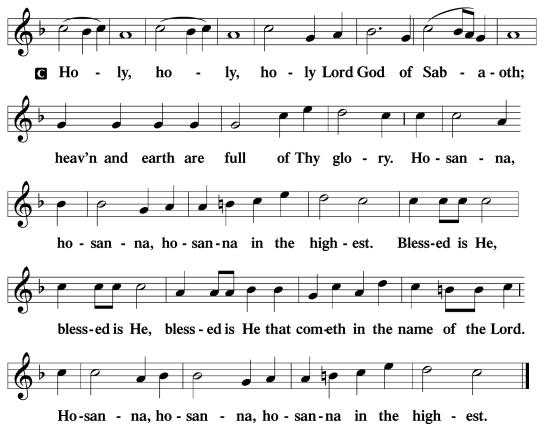


P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS LSB 195



## LORD'S PRAYER LSB 196

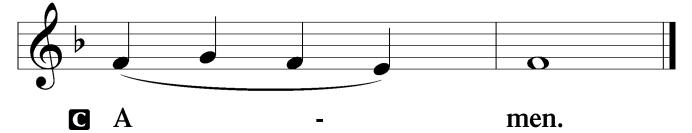
P Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.



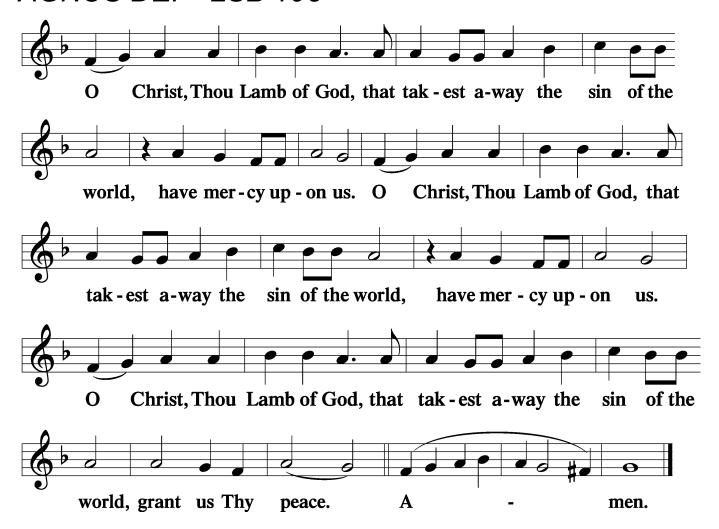
P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ⅓ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me." In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ⅙ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

## PAX DOMINI LSB 197

The peace of the Lord be with you always.



## AGNUS DEI LSB 198



## (Sit)

#### DISTRIBUTION

## 677 FOR ALL THE SAINTS

(Please remain seated for the final verse.)



And when the fight is fierce, the warfare long, Steals on the ear the distant triumph song, And hearts are brave again, and arms are strong.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

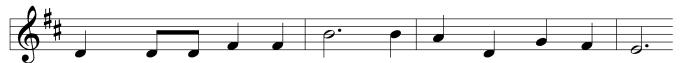
- The golden evening brightens in the west;
  Soon, soon to faithful warriors cometh rest;
  Sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.
  Alleluia! Alleluia!
- 7 But, lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day: The saints triumphant rise in bright array; The King of Glory passes on His way. Alleluia! Alleluia!
- A From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host, Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Text: William W. How, 1823-97, alt.

Tune: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872-1958

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#### 525 CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS



- 1 Crown Him with man y crowns, The Lamb up on His throne;
- 2 Crown Him the vir gin's Son, The God in car nate born,
- 3 Crown Him the Lord of love. Be hold His hands and side,
- 4 Crown Him the Lord of life, Who tri-umphed o'er the grave
- 5 Crown Him the Lord of heav'n, En-throned in worlds a bove,



Hark how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns All mu - sic but its own. Whose arm those crim-son tro-phies won Which now His brow a-dorn: Rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, In beau - ty glo - ri-fied. And rose vic - to-rious in the strife For those He came to save. Crown Him the king to whom is giv'n The won-drous name of Love.



A - wake, my soul, and sing Fruit of the mys-tic rose, No an - gels in the sky His glo-ries now we sing, Crown Him with man - y crowns Of Him who died for thee, And Yet of that rose the stem, The Can ful - ly bear that sight, But Who died and rose on high, Who As thrones be - fore Him fall; Crown



hail as thy match-less king Through all e - ter - ni - ty. root whence mer - cy ev - er flows, The babe of Beth - le - hem. down-ward bend their won-d'ring eyes At mys - ter - ies so bright. e - ter - nal life to bring And lives that death may die. king ye kings, with man - y crowns, For He all. is

Text (sts. 1-3, 5): Matthew Bridges, 1800-94, alt.; (st. 4): Godfrey Thring, 1823-1903

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## 610 LORD JESUS, THINK ON ME



Text: Synesius of Cyrene, c. 365–c. 414; tr. Allen W. Chatfield, 1808–96, alt. Tune: William Daman, c. 1540–1591
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#### (Stand)

#### NUNC DIMITTIS LSB 199



P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



Let us pray. O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



P The Lord be with you.



**BENEDICAMUS** 

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P Bless we the Lord.

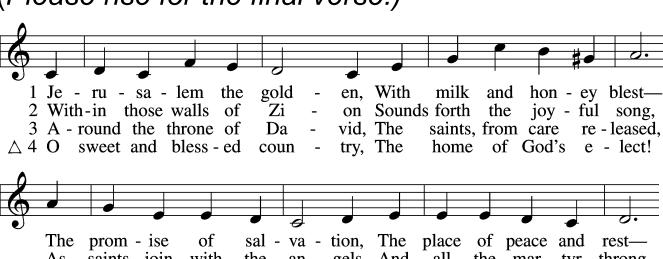


The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and 

give you peace.



# 672 JERUSALEM THE GOLDEN (Please rise for the final verse.)



The prom - ise of sal - va - tion, The place of peace and rest—As saints join with the an - gels And all the mar - tyr throng. Raise loud their songs of tri - umph To cel - e - brate the feast. O sweet and bless - ed coun - try That faith - ful hearts ex - pect!



We know not, oh, we know not What joys a - wait us there: The Prince is with them; The day - light is ev - er se - rene: to Christ their lead - er, Who con - quered in the They sing fight, mer - cy, Je - sus, bring To that e - ter - nal rest us



ra - dian - cy of glo - ry, The bliss The be - yond com - pare! cit - y the bless - ed Shines bright with glo - rious sheen. of Who won for them for - ev - er Their gleam-ing robes of With You and God the Fa - ther And Spir - it,

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#### **Trinity Messenger**

<u>Thank you</u> Thank you Connie Cortright for playing the music at our church. You have been such a huge help to us!

<u>Birthday Blessings to:</u> Harrison Scheurs, Dale Hopf, Jeff Korb, and Roger Grunewald.

#### PIZZA MAKING: Starts at 8:30AM Saturday, November 11th.

Pizza Pickup is from 12:30PM-2:00PM Saturday, November 11th.

**SAVE THE DATE** December 2nd we will go Christmas caroling to our shut-ins.

There is a sign-up in the back to see who is interested so we can plan accordingly. More details will follow as we get closer.

**Thank you** from Jerry Barts for all of your continued prayers.

#### Tuesday, November 7th:

6:00PM Sunday School Teacher's Meeting

7:00PM Men's Club

10/29/23 Attendance: Early: 95 / Late: 82—Total: 177

Sunday School: 21 / Offering: \$5.35

Serving November 5	<u>8:00am</u>	<u>10:30am</u>
Acolytes:	Macey Schueler and Andie Koenig	Emmet Kunze and Bryce Peter
Greeters:	Jean Hiebing	Barb Wolfert
Video Operators:	Lance Liermann	
Ushers:	Team 3	Team 6
Elders:	Tom Weber	Mark Plocar
Altar Guild:	Rita Milbrath and	Susie Sixel

Serving November 12	<u>8:00am</u>	<u>10:30am</u>
Acolytes:	Brody Timm and Owen Timm	Ethan Fenn
Greeters:	Richard Boje	Dale and Linda Hopf
Video Operators:	Mark Schorer	
Ushers:	Team 3	Team 6
Elders:	Tom Weber	Mark Plocar
Altar Guild:	Margie Born and Anne McCraw	